Individual service provider—healthcare individual provider identifier, X[X(19)]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Healthcare individual provider identifier |
| METEOR identifier: | 522896 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 05/10/2016 |
| Definition: | A persistent identifier issued by a registration body to identify an individual service provider, as represented by a combination of numeric and/or alphabetic characters. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Individual service provider—healthcare individual provider identifier](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/522884) |
| Value Domain: | [Identifier X[X(19)]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/522893) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Identifier | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | X[X(19)] | |
| Maximum character length: | 20 | |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | The registration board is expected to maintain this identifier as a persistent identifier for a practitioner across the professions. This identifier is different to the profession registration identifier, as a practitioner may have multiple professions with different registration identifiers. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Reference documents: | Standards Australia 2014. AS 4846:2014 Person and provider identification in healthcare. Sydney: Standards Australia. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Provider professional board cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/522898)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 05/10/2016 |